SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection Request

The Social Security Administration publishes a list of information collection packages that will require submission to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance in compliance with Public Law 104–13 effective October 1, 1995, The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. The information collection(s) listed below require(s) extension of the current OMB approval(s):

1. Letter to Employer Requesting Wage Information—0960–0138

The information collected on form SSA-L4201 is used by the Social Security Administration to determine eligibility and proper payment for Supplemental Security Income (SSI) applicants/recipients. The respondents are employers of applicants for and recipients of SSI payments.

Number of Respondents: 133,000. Frequency of Response: 1.

Average Burden Per Response: 30 Minutes.

Estimated Annual Burden: 66,500 hours.

2. Request for SSI Benefit Estimate—0960-0492

The information collected on form SSA-3716 will be used by the Social Security Administration to comply with a request form an estimated of the impact of work on an SSI recipient's benefit. The respondents are SSI recipients who want to know how a job opportunity could affect the SSI benefits.

Number of Respondents: 50,000. Frequency of Response: 1.

Average Burden Per Response: 5 minutes.

Estimated Annual Burden: 4,167 hours.

3. Claimant's Medications—0960-0289

The information on form HA–4632 is used by the Social Security Administration to compile a current list of medications used by a claimant. The list is provided to an Administrative Law Judge (ALJ), who is considering the disability aspects of the claim. The affected public consists of claimants for disability benefits, who have requested a hearing before an ALJ.

Number of Respondents: 227,107. Frequency of Response: 1.

Average Burden Per Response: 15 minutes.

Estimated Annual Burden: 56,777 hours.

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To receive a copy of the form(s) or clearance package(s), call the SSA Reports Clearance Officer on (410) 965–4125 or write to her at the address listed below. Written comments and recommendations regarding these information collections should be sent within 60 days from the date of this publication directly to the SSA Reports Clearance Officer at the following address: Social Security Administration, DCFAM; Attn: Judith T. Hasche, 1–A–21 Operations Building, 6401 Security Blvd. Baltimore, MD 21235.

In addition to your comments on the accuracy of the agency's burden estimate, we are soliciting comments on the need for the information; its practical utility; ways to enhance its quality, utility and clarity; and on ways to minimize burden on respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Dated: December 7, 1996.

Judith T. Hasche,

Reports Clearance Officer, Social Security Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice No. 2491]

United States International Telecommunications Advisory Committee; Standardization Sector (ITAC-T); Study Group D and CITEL Ad Hoc; Meeting Notice

The Department of State announces that the United States International Telecommunications Advisory Committee Standardization Section (ITAC-T), Study Group D and CITEL Ad Hoc will meet on Tuesday, January 21, 1997, Room 1912, at 9:00 a.m. and Wednesday February 19, 1997 at 9:00 a.m. in the same room at the Department of State, 2201 C Street NW, Washington, DC, 20520.

The agenda for study group D will include consideration of contributions for upcoming meetings of Study Group 8, 7 and 16. The CITEL Ad Hoc Group will consider the Preparatory process for future CITEL meetings, review possible contributions for the meeting of PCC–1 in March 1997, and the tasks assigned under CITEL Restructure proposals. Any other matters within the competence of Study Group D or the CITEL Ad Hoc Group may be raised at either of these meetings. The February 19 meeting will concentrate primarily on preparation for

the ITU-T meetings of Study Group 7, 10–21 March, 1997 and the ITU-T Study Group 16 meeting, 17–27 March 1997.

Persons presenting contributions to Study Group D should bring 20 copies of such contributions to the meeting.

Please Note: Persons intending to attend these meetings must announce this not later than 48 hours before the meeting to the Department of State by sending a fax to 202-647-7407. The announcement must include name, Social Security number and date of birth. The above includes government and non-government attendees. One of the following valid photo ID's will be required for admittance: U.S. driver's license with picture, U.S. passport, U.S. government ID (company ID's are no longer accepted by Diplomatic Security). Enter from the "C" Street Main Lobby.

Dated: December 13, 1996. Gary M. Fereno,

Chairman, U.S. ITAC for CITEL and Study Group D.

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[Public Notice No. 2490]

United States International Telecommunications Advisory Committee (ITAC); Standardization Sector (ITAC-T); National Study Group; Meeting Notice

The Department of State announces that the United States International Telecommunications Advisory Committee (ITAC), Telecommunications Standardization Sector (ITAC–T) National Study Group will meet on January 16, 1997, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in Room 1406 at the Department of State, Washington, D.C.

The U.S. National group, ITAC-T, will meet to discuss preparations for the upcoming Geneva meetings of TSAG March 3-7, 1997 and the Joint TSAG/ RAG Refinement group, March 7-10, 1997. The issues will include ITU Code of Practice on Intellectual Property, clarification of ITU-T A.1 Recommendation, review of ITU-T strategic policy, development of criteria for focus group participation, an examination of certain ITU-R and T Study Questions for possible refining and realignment of the work activity, and other issues related to improving the development of international Telecommunications Standards.

Members of the General Public may attend the meetings and join in the discussions, subject to the instructions of the chair. Admittance of public